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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK	-X	
In re:	-A :	(Chapter 11)
BAYOU GROUP, LLC, et al.	:	Case No. 06-22306 (ASH)
Debtors,	:	Jointly Administered
DIANA G. ADAMS, ACTING UNITED STATES	-X	
TRUSTEE,	:	06 Civ. 06837 (CM)
Appellant,	:	
v. JEFF MARWIL, RECEIVER and OFFICIAL	:	
COMMITTEE OF UNSECURED CREDITORS,	:	
Appellees.	: : v	

NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF KIRKPATRICK & LOCKHART PRESTON GATES ELLIS LLP AS COUNSEL FOR OFFICIAL COMMITTEE OF UNSECURED CREDITORS

TO: The Clerk of the Court

AND TO: All Parties of Record

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Dated: January 9, 2007

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I, PHILIP M. GUESS, hereby certify that I am not a party to this action, am over 18 years of age and reside in King County, Washington. On the 18th day of December, 2006, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice to be served by mail upon the following:

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